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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(2)**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed June 3, 2003 to thereby extend the period for response from September 3, 2003 to November 3, 2003. Please charge the \$410.00 fee required by 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(2) and specified in 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(2) to Deposit Account No. 50-1402. If any additional fee is required, please accept this as authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1402. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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